

**Fulton County**

Department of Solid Waste

REDUCE • REUSE • RECYCLE

Questions? Recycling Info-Line: 518-736-5504



# Dec. 2021

## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>Christmas Eve, Friday, Dec. 24:</b> Special transfer station hours: Broadalbin, Caroga and Northampton: 8 am-noon; E. Fulton St: 7 am-noon; Landfill and LF transfer station: 7:15-11:30 am. Curbside Recycling is canceled for Town of Johnstown.</p> <p><b>Christmas Day, Dec. 25:</b> The landfill and all stations are closed.</p> <p><b>New Year's Eve, Friday, Dec. 31:</b> Same schedule as Christmas Eve.</p>			1 Northville Northampton	2 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleeker	3 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	4
5	6	7 Broadalbin Village Perth	8 Gloversville <i>(Residents with Mon. or Tues. Garbage pick-up)</i>	9 Mayfield Town & Village	10 Town of Johnstown	11
12	13	14 Gloversville <i>(Residents with Thurs. or Fri. Garbage pick-up)</i>	15 Northville Northampton	16 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleeker	17 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	18
19	20	21 Broadalbin Village Perth	22 Gloversville <i>(Residents with Mon. or Tues. Garbage pick-up)</i>	23 Mayfield Town & Village	24  Special Hours at Landfill & Some Transfer Stations Christmas Eve	25 Landfill & All Transfer Stations Closed Christmas Day
26	27	28 Gloversville <i>(Residents with Thurs. or Fri. Garbage pick-up)</i>	29	30	31 Special Hours at Landfill & some Transfer Stations New Year's Eve	

# Recycling 2022



**FULTON COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE, JOHNSTOWN, NY**

## 2022 Landfill & Transfer Station Holiday Closing Schedule

<b>HOLIDAY</b>	<b>Broadalbin</b>	<b>Caroga</b>	<b>Ephratah</b>	<b>E. Fulton St.</b>	<b>Northampton</b>	<b>Oppenheim</b>	<b>Stratford</b>	<b>Landfill</b>
<b>New Year's</b>								
Friday 12/31/2021	8 am-noon	8 am-noon	CLOSED	7 am-noon	8 am-noon	CLOSED	CLOSED	7:15-11:30 am
Saturday, 1/1/2022	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
<b>Martin Luther King Day</b>								
Monday, 1/17/2022	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	7:15-11:30 am
Tuesday, 1/18/2022	noon-7 pm	8 am-noon	10 am-6 pm	7 am-3 pm	8 am-4 pm	10 am-6 pm	5-8 pm	7:15 am-3 pm
<b>President's Day</b>								
Monday, 2/21/2022	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	7:15-11:30 am
Tuesday, 2/22/2022	noon-7 pm	8 am-noon	10 am-6 pm	7 am-3 pm	8 am-4 pm	10 am-6 pm	5-8 pm	7:15 am-3 pm
<b>Memorial Day</b>								
Monday, 5/30/2022	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Tuesday, 5/31/2022	noon-7 pm	8 am-4 pm	10 am-6 pm	7 am-3 pm	8 am-4 pm	10 am-6 pm	5-8 pm	7:15 am-3 pm
<b>4th of July</b>								
Monday, 7/4/2022	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Tuesday, 7/5/2022	noon-7 pm	8 am-4 pm	10 am-6 pm	7 am-3 pm	8 am-4 pm	10 am-6 pm	5-8 pm	7:15 am-3 pm
<b>Labor Day</b>								
Monday, 9/5/2022	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Tuesday, 9/6/2022	noon-7 pm	8 am-4 pm	10 am-6 pm	7 am-3 pm	8 am-4 pm	10 am-6 pm	5-8 pm	7:15 am-3 pm
<b>Columbus Day</b>								
Monday, 10/10/2022	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	7:15-11:30 am
Tuesday, 10/11/2022	noon-7 pm	8 am-noon	10 am-6 pm	7 am-3 pm	8 am-4 pm	10 am-6 pm	5-8 pm	7:15 am-3 pm
<b>Veteran's Day</b>								
Friday, 11/11/2022	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	7:15-11:30 am
<b>Thanksgiving</b>								
Thursday, 11/24/2022	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Friday, 11/25/2022	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	7:15-11:30 am
<b>Christmas</b>								
Saturday, 12/24/2022	8 am-noon	8 am-noon	8 am-noon	7 am-noon	8 am-noon	8 am-noon	8 am-noon	7:15-11:30 am
Monday, 12/26/2022 (observed)	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Tuesday, 12/27/2022	noon-7 pm	8 am-noon	10 am-6 pm	7 am-3 pm	8 am-4 pm	10 am-6 pm	5-8 pm	7:15 am-3 pm
<b>New Year's</b>								
Saturday, 12/31/2022	8 am-noon	8 am-noon	8 am-noon	7 am-noon	8 am-noon	8 am-noon	8 am-noon	7:15-11:30 am
Monday, 1/2/2023 (observed)	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Tuesday, 1/3/2023	noon-7 pm	8 am-noon	10 am-6 pm	7 am-3 pm	8 am-4 pm	10 am-6 pm	5-8 pm	7:15 am-3 pm

Times printed in RED are special holiday hours

**SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

See *October* for more transfer station information



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# Jan. 2022

## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>New Year's Day</b>, Saturday, Jan. 1: The landfill and all transfer stations are closed. All stations have regular hours on Monday, Jan. 3.</p> <p><b>Martin Luther King Jr. Day</b>, Monday, Jan. 17: The landfill and landfill transfer station are open 7:15-11:30 am. All other transfer stations are closed. On Tuesday, Jan. 18, all stations have regular hours, with special hours at Caroga (8 am-noon) and Ephratah (10 am-6 pm).</p>						<p>1</p> <p>Landfill &amp; all Transfer Stations Closed</p> <p>New Year's Day</p>
2	3	4 Broadalbin Village Perth	5 Northville Northampton	6 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker	7 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	8
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# SINGLESTREAM RECYCLING



## HERE'S HOW IT WORKS

### All Recyclable Items Mix Together in One Bin for Collection

1. All recyclable items – paper, cardboard, plastic, metal and glass – need to be mixed together loosely in one bin.
2. Lids and labels can be left on recyclable containers, which should be empty and rinsed before recycling.
3. Recyclables must be placed in your designated recycling bin (a durable, lidded, plastic or metal container of your choice, 35 gallon maximum), marked with a sticker. More than one recycling bin is OK.
4. Do not place recyclables in plastic bags for collection (*shredded paper is the only exception*). No strings, no bags, no trash allowed.



## EVERYTHING GOES INTO ONE BIN



### PAPER

Newspaper & Inserts

Junk Mail, Circulars,  
Magazines & Catalogs

Phonebooks & Paperbacks

Brown Grocery Bags

Lightweight &  
Corrugated Cardboard

Beverage Cartons

(Milk, Juice, and Juice boxes)

#### **DO NOT INCLUDE**

Hardcover books, Paper plates,  
Napkins, Tissues, Construction paper  
Soda & Beer Cartons



### PLASTIC

Plastic Bottles & Containers

Number Codes 1-5, some 7

Milk & Water Jugs

Cottage Cheese, Yogurt &  
Pudding Cup Containers

Soap & Detergent Containers

#### **DO NOT INCLUDE**

Styrofoam containers, Plastic bags,  
Motor oil bottles, Clothes hangers,  
Toys, Prescription pill bottles



### METAL

Food & Beverage Cans

Deposit Cans

Aluminum Plates & Trays

Aluminum Foil (clean)

Aerosol Cans

(Empty. NO paint or petroleum products)

Metal Lids

#### **DO NOT INCLUDE**

Metal-cardboard containers (cocoa box),  
Clothes hangers, Silverware, Pans  
or small appliances



### GLASS

Clear, Green & Amber Containers

Canning Jars

Deposit Bottles

Liquor & Wine Bottles

Food & Beverage Containers

#### **DO NOT INCLUDE**

Broken glass, Drinking glasses,  
Ovenware or ceramics, Dishes, Mirrors,  
Window glass or light bulbs

### Other Tips

- Step on milk jugs, detergent bottles, etc., to make room in the bin.
- Cardboard must be flattened. If it does not fit in the bin, put it beside or under the recycling bin.
- Curbside recycling should be out by 6 a.m. the day of pick up or put out the night before.
- 50 pound limit on recycling bins. You can use more than one bin.
- Transfer station users can transport recycling in any container and then must dump it loose into singlestream recycling container or compactor at the station.



**ONE EXCEPTION TO THE "NO BAG" RULE: SHREDDED PAPER - Tie up in a clear plastic bag. Put the bag in with loose recyclables.**

For more info on recycling, waste disposal or special programs: Call the Recycling Info-Line 518-736-5504 or go to [www.fultoncountyny.gov](http://www.fultoncountyny.gov)



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# Feb. 2022

## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>Helpful Hint:</b> Drill holes in the bottom of your recycling container so water drains through.		1 Broadalbin Village Perth	2 Northville Northampton	3 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker	4 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	5
		6	7	8 Gloversville Zone 1	9 Gloversville Zone 2	10 Mayfield Town & Village
13	14	15 Broadalbin Village Perth	16 Northville Northampton	17 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker	18 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	19
20	21 All TS Closed except Landfill & LFTS Open 1/2 Day President's Day	22 Gloversville Zone 1	23 Gloversville Zone 2	24 Mayfield Town & Village	25 Town of Johnstown	26
27	28		<b>President's Day, Monday, Feb. 21:</b> Landfill & LF transfer station open 7:15-11:30 am. All other stations closed. Tuesday, Feb. 22, all stations have regular hours; special hours at Caroga (8 am-12) & Ephratah (10 am-6 pm).			

# INCLEMENT WEATHER TIPS

## WINDY DAYS

Wind is a big problem for our crews when picking up curbside recyclables. If a recycling bin gets blown over and the lid comes off, the recyclables can blow all over, causing unsightly litter. And once a bin is empty, a light weight container can roll into the road.

If the weather is expected to be especially windy or stormy, consider holding your recycling until your next pick-up day. If you end up with extra materials - do not put the excess recycling into a plastic bag. You can use an empty cardboard box (fold the flaps to keep it closed), or use unmarked containers (such as a Rubbermaid tote with a lid) as an overflow bin.



## SNOW BANKS

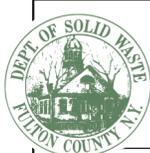
Please don't place your container on a snow bank. Our crews will not climb on snow banks to collect recyclables, as it is a safety concern.



## HELPFUL HINT:

Drill holes in the bottom of your recycling container so water drains through. Keeps recyclables drier, less freezing in winter, so containers don't have excess weight. Your recycling crew will appreciate it!

 #RecycleRightNY



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# March 2022

## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Please do not place recycling bins on snowbanks - as a safety consideration for our collection crew.		1 Broadalbin Village Perth	2 Northville Northampton	3 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker	4 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	5
6	7	8 Gloversville Zone 1	9 Gloversville Zone 2	10 Mayfield Town & Village	11 Town of Johnstown	12
13	14	15 Broadalbin Village Perth	16 Northville Northampton	17 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker	18 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	19
20	21	22 Gloversville Zone 1	23 Gloversville Zone 2	24 Mayfield Town & Village	25 Town of Johnstown	26
27	28	29	30	31	On Windy Days: Hold recyclables until your next pick up day if severe wind warnings are issued. 	

# Recycling in Gloversville & Johnstown

The Fulton County Department of Solid Waste provides curbside recycling pick up to residents of the cities of Gloversville and Johnstown twice a month. The cities arrange for weekly garbage pick up. City residents can also purchase permits to use the transfer station at the Department of Solid Waste on Mud Road (for garbage and recyclables), from their city clerk.

New Gloversville recycling zones as of January 1, 2022

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## City of Johnstown

**Johnstown - Ward 2**  
Curbside Recycling:  
First & Third Thursday  
Garbage: Wednesday

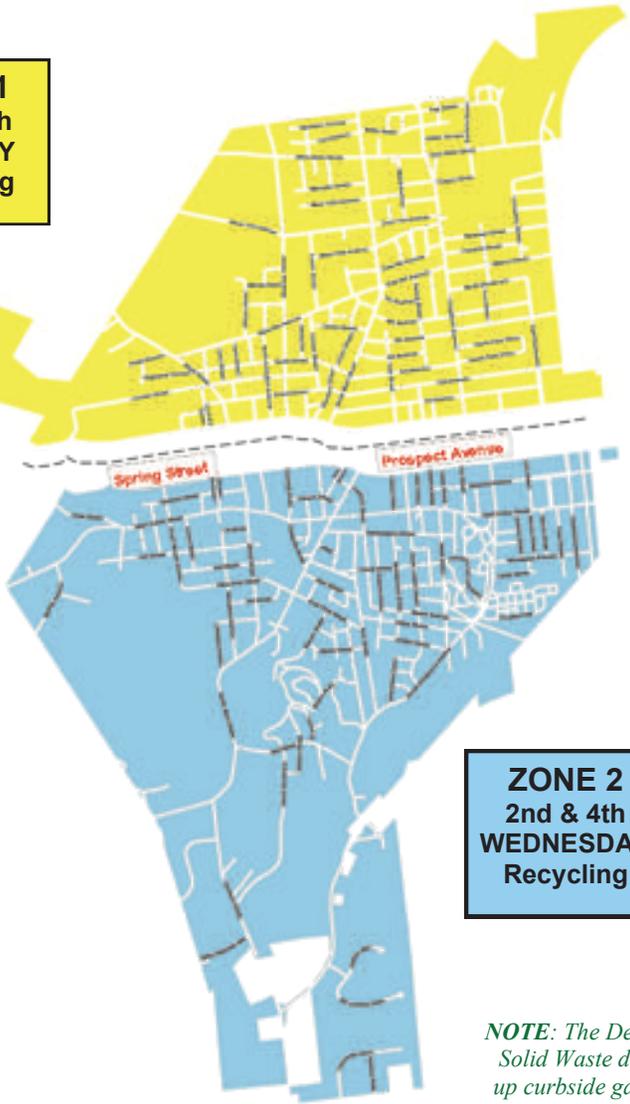
**Johnstown - Ward 1**  
Curbside Recycling:  
First & Third Thursday  
Garbage: Friday

**Johnstown - Ward 4**  
Curbside Recycling:  
First & Third Friday  
Garbage: Thursday

**Johnstown - Ward 3**  
Curbside Recycling:  
First & Third Friday  
Garbage: Tuesday

**ZONE 1**  
2nd & 4th  
**TUESDAY**  
Recycling

The MIDDLE OF THE ROAD is the dividing line for north / south routes.



**ZONE 2**  
2nd & 4th  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Recycling

## City of Gloversville

See **October** For detailed information on Fulton County Transfer Stations.

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*NOTE: The Department of Solid Waste does not pick up curbside garbage. This information is provided as a courtesy. Please call your city clerk with questions on curbside garbage routes.*



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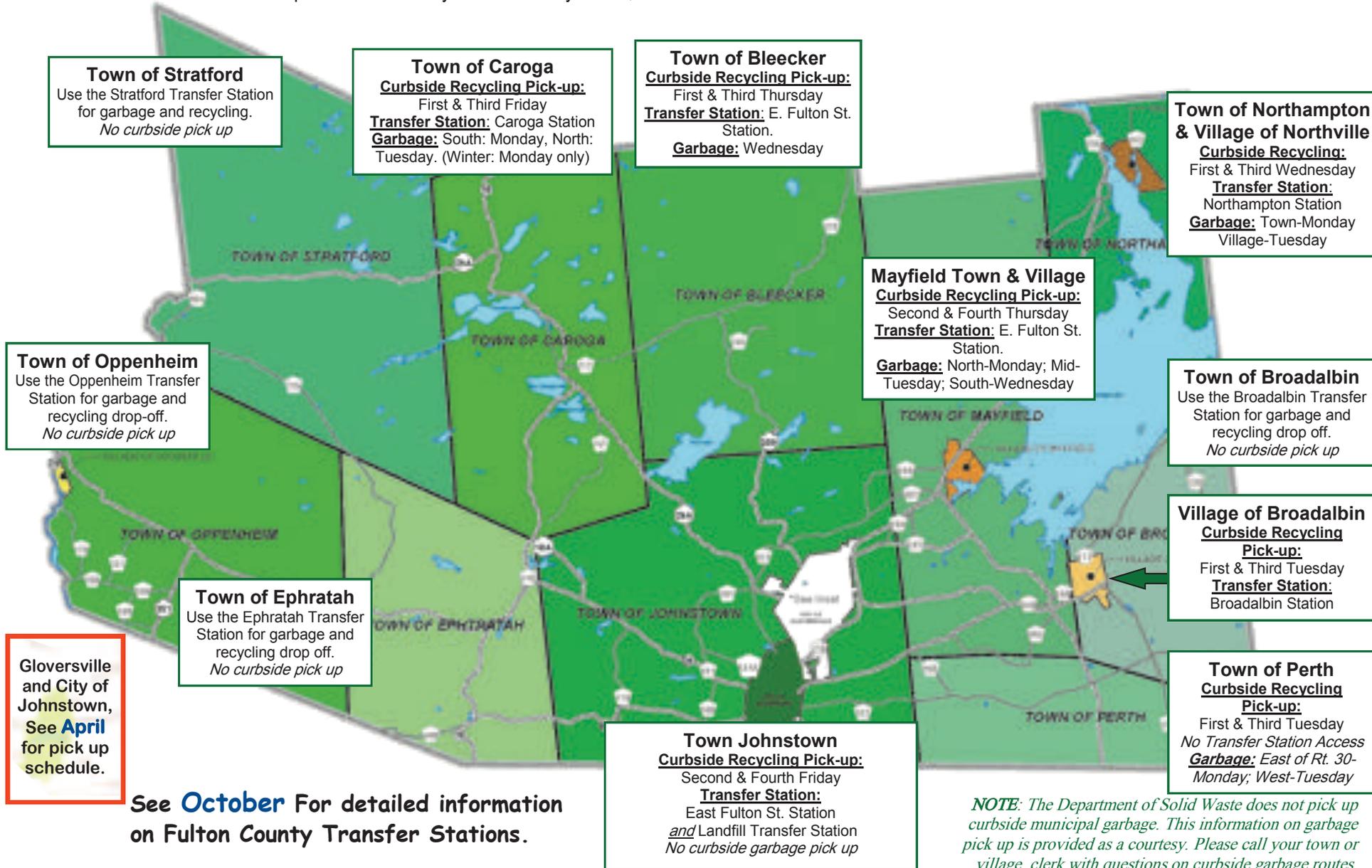
# April 2022

## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Make Earth Day every day! The observance of Earth Day has been a tradition since 1970. It is celebrated around the world on April 22. To learn more about the origin of Earth Day, go to <a href="http://www.earthday.org">www.earthday.org</a></p>					1 City of Johnstown-South Side Caroga	2
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17	18	19 Broadalbin Village Perth	20 Northville Northampton	21 City of Johnstown-North Side Bleecker	22  Town of Johnstown	23
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# Recycling in Fulton County

The Fulton County Department of Solid Waste provides curbside recycling pick up to 85% of county residents. Other residents have access to a county transfer station (some residents have access to both). With the exception of the Department of Solid Waste Transfer Station, a permit is needed to dispose of recycling at transfer stations. Transfer Station permits are sold by Town and City clerks, for various fees.





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# May 2022

## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 Broadalbin Village Perth	4 Northville Northampton	5 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleeker	6 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	7
8	9	10 Gloversville Zone 1	11 Gloversville Zone 2	12 Mayfield Town & Village	13 Town of Johnstown	14
15	16	17 Broadalbin Village Perth	18 Northville Northampton	19 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleeker	20 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	21
22	23	24 Gloversville Zone 1	25 Gloversville Zone 2	26 Mayfield Town & Village	27 Town of Johnstown	28
29	30 Landfill & all Transfer Stations Closed  Memorial Day	31	Memorial Day, Monday, May 30: The landfill and all transfer stations are closed. Tuesday, May 31: all transfer stations have regular hours, with special hours at Caroga (8 am-4 pm) and Ephratah (10 am-6 pm).			

# Textile Disposal

## SPRING CLEAN YOUR CLOSETS

Although recyclable, clothing and other textiles like towels and sheets **DO NOT** belong in your household recycling.

**Find textile donation and recycling locations near you.**



### Where to Go?

All eight transfer stations in Fulton County have **textile/clothing drop-off boxes**

The Department of Solid Waste accepts an expanded list of items, including ALL clothing, (even if ripped, stained or missing buttons) shoes and accessories, as well as linens, towels, curtains, and stuffed animals. (Not accepted: wet, mildewed or petroleum-soaked items).

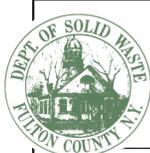


The Fulton County Department of Solid Waste Recycles approximately **2.8 tons** of textiles per month!



**TEXTILE RECOVERY**  
#ReClotheNY

For more information on recycling & waste disposal, call the **FCDSW Recycling Info-Line**  
**518-736-5504**



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# June 2022

## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Remember to bring durable, re-useable shopping bags to the store. The Plastic Bag Waste Reduction Law of 2019 is in effect, and retailers are no longer allowed to provide plastic one-use carryout bags. Bring Your Own Bag!			1 Northville Northampton	2 City of Johnstown- North Side Blecker	3 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	4
5	6	7 Broadalbin Village Perth	8 Gloversville Zone 2	9 Mayfield Town & Village	10 Town of Johnstown	11
12	13	14 Gloversville Zone 1	15 Northville Northampton	16 City of Johnstown- North Side Blecker	17 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	18
19	20	21 Broadalbin Village Perth	22 Gloversville Zone 2	23 Mayfield Town & Village	24 Town of Johnstown	25
26	27	28 Gloversville Zone 1	29	30	BYOB Bring Your Own Bag! 	

# Transfer Stations



At the E. Fulton Street Transfer Station, a resident of Mayfield unloads trash and old furniture into a garbage compactor, on the left, above, while a resident disposes of his recycling into the recycling container. All permitted users of this station share the recycling drop-off.

The DSW operates eight transfer stations throughout Fulton County. Disposal of garbage, recycling or bulk metal at transfer stations is by permit only (sold by municipal town or city clerks).

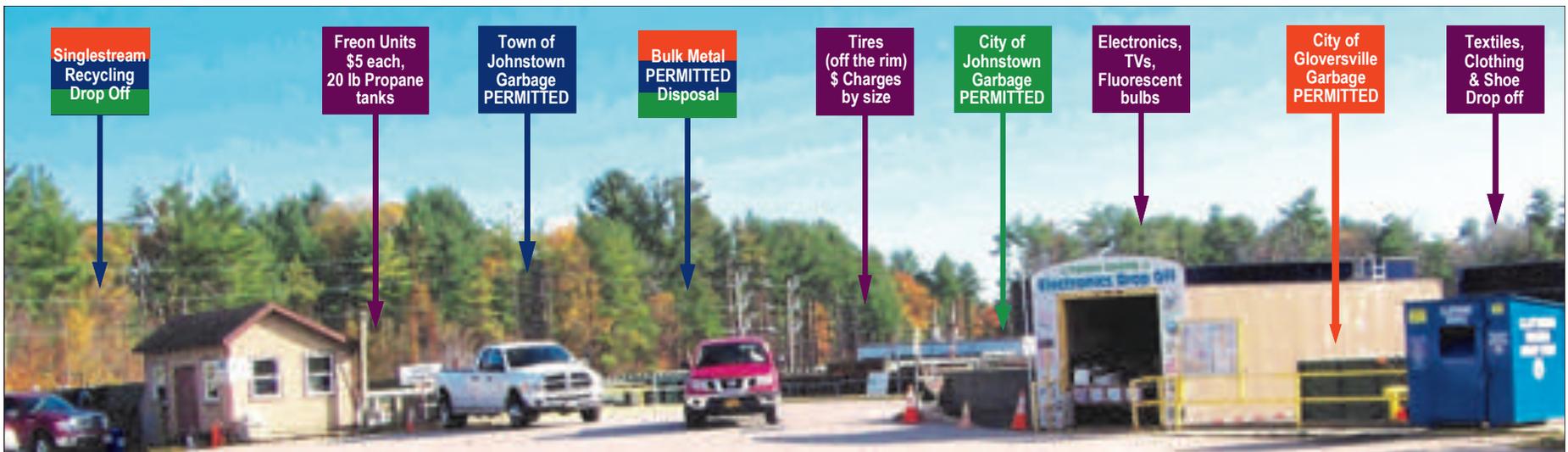


Residents can transport singlestream recycling to a transfer station however they want, from a large bin, (left) to a laundry basket (inset) to plastic bags. However, (with the exception of shredded paper) all recycling must be dumped loose into the recycling container - so if plastic bags are used, they should be ripped open and the empty bag disposed in the garbage container provided.



In 2021, major upgrades were done at the Caroga station (above, new concrete pad and retaining wall).

## Landfill Transfer Station



A number of items can be disposed of ONLY at the Department of Solid Waste, 847 Mud Road, Johnstown, (above), including tires, Freon units (refrigerators & air conditioners) and fluorescent tubes (there is a charge for tires and Freon units). Textile recycling is also available at this station. Garbage, recycling and bulk metal disposal at the Mud Road Transfer Station is for permitted residents of **Gloversville**, **City of Johnstown** and **Town of Johnstown**.



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# July 2022

## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 <p><b>Independence Day</b>, Monday, July 4: Landfill and all transfer stations are closed. On Tuesday, July 5, all transfer stations have regular hours, with special hours at Caroga (8 am-4 pm) and Ephratah (10 am-6 pm).</p> 					1 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	2
3	4 Landfill & all Transfer Stations Closed Independence Day	5 Broadalbin Village Perth	6 Northville Northampton	7 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker	8 Town of Johnstown	9
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# Safety on the Road



Every driver learns to stop and wait for school buses, slow down in construction zones, and move over for emergency vehicles. Please also take extra care when approaching **recycling and garbage trucks** to prevent accidents, injuries and deaths.

**SLOW DOWN** when approaching a refuse or recycling truck making its rounds. Stop if necessary to allow workers to do their jobs.

**LOOK FOR WORKERS** before attempting to pass the truck.

**CHECK FOR TRAFFIC** approaching from the opposite direction before proceeding around.

**AVOID DISTRACTIONS** like texting, talking on the phone, changing the radio station or checking your GPS while driving near a sanitation truck.

"Slow Down to Get Around" became law in New York State in 2016. Drivers are now required to slow down and move over for waste and recycling vehicles using their safety lights while collecting. This puts them in the same category as other hazard vehicles such as police cars or fire trucks.

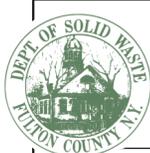


- Use extra caution when approaching garbage or recycling trucks in rural areas.
- Faster speed limits and no sidewalk or terraces make it more dangerous for workers.
- Don't try to "squeeze between" a truck stopped for pick up and incoming traffic.



In the photos above, employees of the Dept. of Solid Waste pick up recycling. Passing vehicles swerving out of their lane create a hazard for oncoming traffic, as well as workers, especially at high speeds. Please take extra caution — trucks are well marked and have flashing lights when they are stopped.





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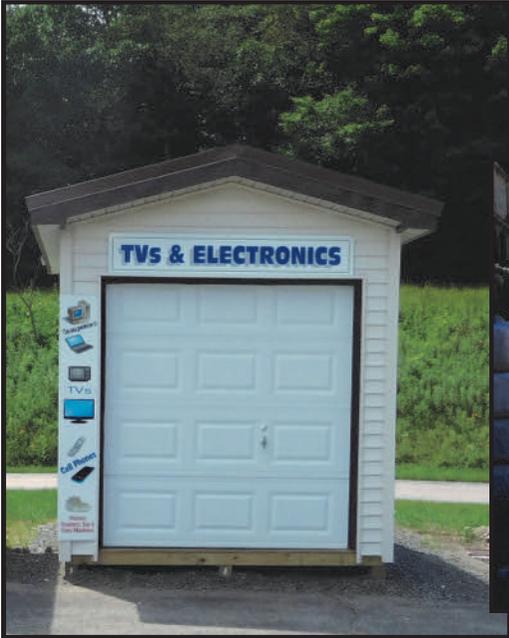
# Aug. 2022

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21	22	23 Gloversville Zone 1	24 Gloversville Zone 2	25 Mayfield Town & Village	26 Town of Johnstown	27
28	29	30	31	Computers and TVs – Fulton County residents can drop off old electronics & televisions at the Transfer Station serving their municipality at no charge. For details, call the Recycling Info-Line at 518-736-5504.		

# DSW Projects & Equipment

New Decontamination Trailer for Demolition Team



Caroga Transfer Station  
New electronics recycling shed above;  
new retaining wall & paving at right



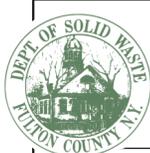
Ditching to improve drainage  
at DSW



Demolition  
424 S. Main St.  
Gloversville, NY

Open Top  
Containers





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# Sept. 2022

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18	19	20 Broadalbin Village Perth	21 Northville Northampton	22 Mayfield Town & Village	23 Town of Johnstown	24
25	26	27 Gloversville Zone 1	28 Gloversville Zone 2	29	30 	Compost fall leaves at home - or mow them on the lawn to create soil nutrients.

# Transfer Station Information

## Broadalbin Transfer Station

**221 Union Mills Road**

This station serves residents of the Town and Village of Broadalbin.

**Hours:** 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday and Friday; noon-7 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday; 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday.

**Permits:** \$20, sold at Broadalbin Town Hall.

## Caroga Transfer Station

**Lane Road (232 Everson Road)**

**Hours:** 8 a.m.-noon Monday and Saturday; noon-4 p.m. Weds.

**Summer hours** (4/1-9/30): 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday and Friday; 4-8 p.m. Wednesday; and 8 a.m.-noon Saturday.

**Permits:** \$15 cars; \$35 pickups/trailers; 4/1-3/31 (\$20 temporary-3 trips.)

*\*Appliances: \$5 each for stove, washer, dryer, dishwasher, hot water tank, furnace/wood stove. Permits sold by Caroga Town Clerk.*

## East Fulton Street Transfer Station

**876 East Fulton Street (29A), Johnstown**

This station serves residents of: Town of Johnstown; Town of Bleecker, and Town and Village of Mayfield.

**Hours:** 7 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Wednesday; 7 a.m.-noon Saturday.

**Town of Johnstown residents: Permits \$25**, sold by Johnstown Town Clerk.

**Bleecker residents: Permits \$10**, sold by Bleecker Town Clerk.

**Mayfield Town/Village residents: Permits \$25**, sold by Mayfield Town Clerk.

## Fulton County Landfill Transfer Station

**at the Department of Solid Waste, 847 Mud Road, Johnstown**

**Hours:** 7:15 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday-Friday. 7:15-11:30 a.m. Saturday.

For permitted garbage drop off, this station serves:

**City of Gloversville residents: Permits \$40/year**; \$25 after Sept. 1 sold by Gloversville City Clerk.

**Town of Johnstown residents: Permits \$25**, sold by Johnstown Town Clerk.

**City of Johnstown residents: Permits \$35**; sold by Johnstown City Clerk.

**\*Appliances:** Go in bulk metal container at transfer stations. (No Freon units). *Caroga residents must purchase \$5 permit, see above.*

## Ephratah Transfer Station

**5225 State Route 29**

**Hours:** 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday and Thursday; 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday.

**Permits:** \$10/2-yr., sold by Ephratah Town Clerk.

## Northampton Transfer Station

**326 County Road 113, Northville**

This station serves residents from the Town of Northampton and Village of Northville. *(Limit of 3 loads per clean-up project)*

**Hours:** 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Mon. & Tues.; 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday.

**Summer hours:** (6/1-9/9): 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Friday; 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday.

**Permits:** \$10, sold by Northampton Town Clerk.

## Oppenheim Transfer Station

**122 State Route 331**

**Hours:** 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday; 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday.

**Permits:** \$15/2-years, sold by Oppenheim Town Clerk.

## Stratford Transfer Station

**113 County Highway 104 and State Route 29A**

**Hours:** 5-8 p.m. Tuesday; 3-6 p.m. Thursday; 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Sat.

**Summer hours:** (7/3-9/4): 5-8 p.m. Tuesday; 3-6 p.m. Thursday; 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Sat.; 3-5 p.m. Sunday.

**Permits:** \$5, sold by Stratford Town Clerk.

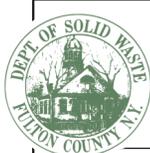
For **ALL Fulton County residents:** the DSW Landfill Transfer Station is the **only disposal outlet** for: tires (*charges apply*), Freon-containing units (*charges apply*), fluorescent light bulbs, and mercury-containing thermostats.

Recycling drop off is available at all transfer stations.

See **February** for recycling prep guide.



See **January** for a list of transfer station holiday closings.



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# Oct. 2022

## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>Columbus Day</b>, Monday, Oct. 10: The landfill and landfill transfer station are open 7:15-11:30 am. All other transfer stations are closed. Tuesday, Oct. 11, all stations have regular hours with special hours at Caroga (8 am-noon) and Ephratah (10 am-6 pm).</p>						1
2	3	4 Broadalbin Village Perth	5 Northville Northampton	6 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker		7 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga
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# Recycling Dos & Don'ts

There is a right and a wrong way to recycle. Even though well-meaning, when people put materials into recycling that don't belong, it creates problems at the processing plant and contaminates the other "good recyclables." It is important to rinse food waste from containers. Don't include prescription pill bottles, wire hangers, extension cords or hoses. For singlestream recycling, no plastic bags are allowed, with the exception of shredded paper. Improper items may be left at the curb.



## Corrugated Cardboard



Corrugated cardboard should be flattened or broken down. Put it loose in the bin; lay flat on the ground and put the bin on top; or else make a "cardboard package" with one box left unbroken and all other boxes flattened and stacked upright. Do not tie cardboard in a bundle or put into a plastic bag, or you may find it left on the curb with an informational sticker attached.

## NO BAGS in Singlestream Recycling



This sticker will be placed on plastic bags, (which will be left behind) - if they are put out for curbside recycling.

## Bags Full of Bags



New York State law requires that stores collect film plastics, including: Plastic one-use grocery bags • Plastic newspaper bags, dry-cleaning bags • Plastic produce bags and bread

bags with ALL food residue removed • Plastic overwrap from paper products (paper towels) • Plastic zipper type bags • Bubble wrap. (Film plastic is stretchy, not crinkly).

**Once you have collected plastic bags and wraps**



## Overflow Container

If your marked bin is full, and you have more recycling, options for an "overflow" container include using an unmarked garbage can or tote with lid (make sure and place it right beside your recycle bin.) You can also fill an empty cardboard box with loose recycling, as long as it has a lid or flaps, so recycling does not blow out.

## The Only Exception



## Shredded Paper

The only exception to the "No Plastic Bag" rule is shredded paper, from a paper shredder, which goes into a plastic bag. Small bags of shredded paper can go in the bin. Large bags should be placed on the ground next to the bin.



**Return to the Store:** After you have a quantity of bags and wraps, return the "bag full of bags" to a store. Look for a box or barrel near the entrance to grocery stores, big box and discount stores and drug stores. Bags should be clean and dry with no food waste.

## Timing is Important



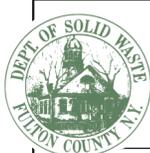
Curbside recycling should be outside by 6 a.m. the day of pick up - or the night before. Routes vary and your pick up time may not always be the same.



**In Winter** - please make sure your recycling bin is visible and accessible. Do not set it on top of a snow bank.



**Wind** - Hold recyclables until your next pick up day when severe wind warnings are issued.



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# Nov. 2022

## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

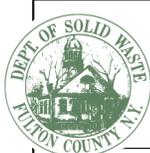
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<b>Veteran's Day, Friday, Nov. 11:</b> The Landfill & Landfill transfer station are open 7:15-11:30 am. All other stations are closed. Curbside Recycling will be picked up in the Town of Johnstown.		1 Broadalbin Village Perth	2 Northville Northampton	3 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker	4 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	5
6	7	8 Gloversville Zone 1	9 Gloversville Zone 2	10 Mayfield Town & Village	11 All TS Closed except Landfill & LFTS Open 1/2 Day Town of Johnstown Veteran's Day	12
13	14	15 <i>America Recycles Day</i> Broadalbin Village Perth	16 Northville Northampton	17 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker	18 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	19
20	21	22 Gloversville Zone 1	23 Gloversville Zone 2	24 <b>CURBSIDE RECYCLING CANCELED</b> Landfill & all Transfer Stations Closed Thanksgiving	25 All TS Closed except Landfill & LFTS Open 1/2 Day Town of Johnstown	26
27	28	29	30	Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 24: The landfill and all transfer stations are closed. Curbside Recycling Pick up is canceled for the Town and Village of Mayfield. The next curbside pick up is Dec. 8. On Friday, Nov. 25, the landfill and landfill transfer station are open 7:15-11:30 am. All other transfer stations are closed. The Town of Johnstown will have regular curbside recycling pick up.		

# Year Round Disposal Programs

		<p><b>Vehicle Batteries</b> can be taken to the transfer station in your municipality. There is no charge.  <b>Rechargeable &amp; Button Batteries</b> can be dropped off at all transfer stations.          Alkaline household batteries should be disposed of with garbage.</p>	
		<p><b>Computers</b>, monitors, keyboards, scanners, printers, cell phones, <b>televisions</b>, and other <b>electronic products</b> can be recycled at the transfer station that serves your municipality. Small businesses and non-profits can also recycle electronics at the DSW. No charge.</p>	
		<p><b>Fluorescent Light Bulbs</b> (<i>tubes or CFLs</i>) can be recycled at the Department of Solid Waste (see below for hours and address). Open to all county residents only (no businesses). No charge. (<i>Incandescent light bulbs go in the garbage</i>).</p>	
		<p><b>Freon-Containing units</b> (refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers) must be brought to the Department of Solid Waste (see below). <i>Transfer stations will not accept these appliances.</i> \$5 charge to county residents, (businesses pay \$5).</p>	
		<p><b>Propane Tanks:</b> Small (one-lb.) propane tanks should go in the garbage when empty. For disposal of 20-pound tanks, please call the DSW at 518-736-5501 for details.</p>	
		<p><b>Textile</b> drop-off boxes at all transfer stations accept: all clothing, paired shoes, purses, belts, hats, linens (no pillows), blankets, towels, drapes, stuffed animals. Open to all county residents. No charge.</p>	
		<p><b>Mercury-Containing Thermostats</b> (<i>non-digital</i>) can be disposed of at the Department of Solid Waste (in with Electronics Disposal). This program is open to all county residents, contractors, and businesses. No charge.</p>	
		<p><b>Tires</b> (off the rim) must be brought to the Department of Solid Waste (see below). (<i>Transfer stations will not accept tires.</i>) Open to all county residents. Fees: \$3.00 per tire up to 16" (<i>typical car or truck tire</i>); \$5.00 per tire 16.5"-21"; \$13 per tire 21.5-24.5" &amp; tires over 24.5" or bulk tires (more than 20), charged by weight (\$350/ton).</p>	
		<p><b>Used Motor Oil</b> can be taken to the transfer station in your municipality. Open to all county residents, there is no charge. Used motor oil should be brought in a translucent bottle with a screw top lid, and left in a designated spot. Please do not mix with anti-freeze or other liquids.</p>	



The Fulton County Department of Solid Waste is located at 847 Mud Road, Johnstown.  
*(intersection of Route 67 and Mud Road - 6 miles west of the City of Johnstown).*  
 Hours: 7:15 am-3 pm Mon-Fri; 7:15-11:30 am Sat. Recycling Info-Line: 518-736-5504



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# Dec. 2022

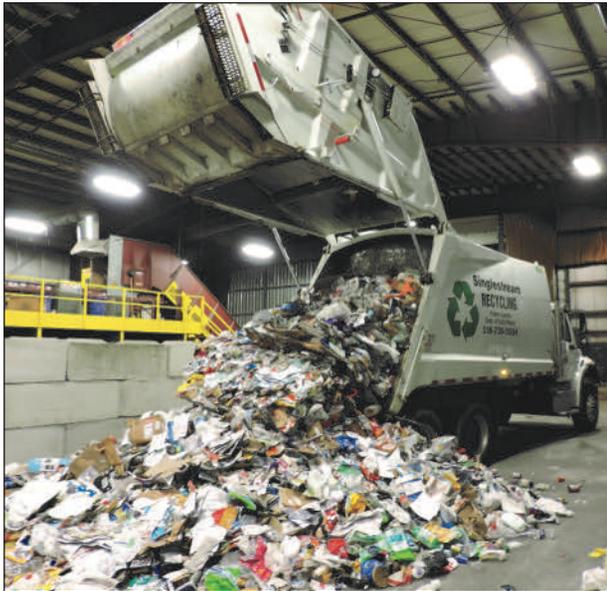
## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>Christmas Day</b> , (observed) Monday, Dec. 26: The landfill and all stations are closed. Tuesday, Dec. 27, all stations have regular hours with special hours at Caroga (8 am-noon) and Ephratah (10 am-6 pm).				1 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker	2 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	3
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25 Christmas Day	26 Landfill & all Transfer Stations Closed Christmas Observed	27 Gloversville Zone 1	28 Gloversville Zone 2	29	30	31 Landfill Transfer Station open regular hours 7:15-11:30 am. All other Transfer Stations close at noon on New Year's Eve.

# Where Does the Recycling Go?



Recycling is picked up curbside (far left) in compactor trucks. Once full, the truck goes through the scalehouse and is weighed (left); then goes to the Recycling Facility. A DSW driver (right) gets the truck ready to unload curbside recycling.



The back of the truck opens and ejects the semi-compressed recycling (left), which is later moved by staff with a special telescopic compact loader (below). Recycling Working Supervisor Joe Orlando (right) guides the operator as they load the singlestream recycling into a compactor attached to a trailer.



A view of the compactor from the outside (above), with trailer ready to load. This area has been enclosed (bottom left). Sliding doors, built in-house are installed by: MEO Andrew Bornt, (on left); Joe Orlando, on fork truck; and Deputy Director of Operations Jeff Hertik, on the ladder.



This ejection trailer transports singlestream recycling to Utica for processing.



Recyclable materials, such as these bales of corrugated cardboard, are sorted, baled and sold to make new products.



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# Jan. 2023

## Curbside Recycling Pick Up Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 <b>New Year's Day</b>	2 <b>Landfill &amp; all Transfer Stations Closed</b> <b>New Year's Day Observed</b>	3 Broadalbin Village Perth	4 Northville Northampton	5 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker	6 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	7
8	9	10 Gloversville Zone 1	11 Gloversville Zone 2	12 Mayfield Town & Village	13 Town of Johnstown	14
15	16 <b>All TS Closed except Landfill &amp; LFTS</b> <b>ML King Day</b>	17 Broadalbin Village Perth	18 Northville Northampton	19 City of Johnstown- North Side Bleecker	20 City of Johnstown- South Side Caroga	21
22	23	24 Gloversville Zone 1	25 Gloversville Zone 2	26 Mayfield Town & Village	27 Town of Johnstown	28
29	30	31	<p><b>New Year's Day</b> (observed), Monday, Jan. 2: The landfill and all stations are closed. Tuesday, Jan. 3, all transfer stations have regular hours, with special hours at Caroga (8 am-noon) and Ephratah (10 am-6 pm).</p> <p><b>Martin Luther King Jr. Day</b>, Monday, Jan. 16: The Landfill and LF transfer station are open 7:15-11:30 am. All other stations closed. On Tuesday, Jan. 17, all stations have regular hours, with special hours at Caroga (8 am-noon) and Ephratah (10 am-6 pm).</p>			

# Fulton County Department of Solid Waste



## Johnstown Senior Center event, 2021

Department of Solid Waste Staff are available for speaking engagements at schools, community organizations and businesses. Call the Recycling Info-Line for more information at 518-736-5504.



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